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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to prosecution on the merits of the present patent application, please
amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

On page 1, between the Title of the Invention and the First Full Paragraph,
please insert the following paragraph:

This Application is a Divisional Application of U.S. Patent Application Number
09/412,204, filed on October 5, 1999, now U.S. Patent 6,344,706, pending.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel Claims 1-11 without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter
recited therein.

REMARKS

Claims 12-20 are pending in this application. By this Preliminary Amendment,